

## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) A herbicidal synergistic composition comprising as active ingredient a mixture of

a) ~~at least one compound selected from tritosulfuron, flufenacet and propoxycarbazone (sodium),~~  
and

b) a synergistically effective amount of at least one compound selected from the group consisting of  
~~compounds of the group amidosulfuron, bentazone, bifenox, diflufenican, dicamba, dimethenamid,  
flurtamone, glufosinate, fenoxaprop P-ethyl, iodosulfuron-methyl (sodium), bromoxynil, ioxynil,  
bifluthiamid, imazosulfuron, cinidon-ethyl, 2,4-D, MCPA, MCPP, picolinafen, pendimethalin,  
pyraflufen, and imazethapyr, imazapic, imazapyr, imazaquin, imazamox and imazamethabenz-  
methyl, with the proviso that the mixtures of tritosulfuron with bifluthiamid, tritosulfuron with  
mesosulfuron, tritosulfuron with iodosulfuron-methyl (sodium), tritosulfuron with ioxynil, tritosulfuron  
with dicamba, tritosulfuron with cinidon-ethyl, tritosulfuron with 2,4-D, picolinafen with cinidon-ethyl,  
flufenacet with picolinafen, flufenacet with fenoxaprop P-ethyl, flufenacet with iodosulfuron-methyl  
(sodium), flufenacet with bifluthiamid, flufenacet with mesosulfuron, flufenacet with cinidon-ethyl,  
flufenacet with imazamox, flufenacet with bifenox, flufenacet with diflufenican, flufenacet with  
flurtamone, flufenacet with glufosinate, flufenacet with pendimethalin, flufenacet with ioxynil,  
propoxycarbazone (sodium) with amidosulfuron, propoxycarbazone (sodium) with diflufenican,  
propoxycarbazone (sodium) with fenoxaprop P-ethyl, propoxycarbazone (sodium) with  
iodosulfuron-methyl (sodium), propoxycarbazone (sodium) with bromoxynil, propoxycarbazone  
(sodium) with ioxynil, propoxycarbazone (sodium) with mesosulfuron, propoxycarbazone (sodium)  
with bifenox, propoxycarbazone (sodium) with flurtamone, propoxycarbazone (sodium) with  
picolinafen and propoxycarbazone (sodium) with glufosinate are excluded.~~

2. (Original) A method of controlling undesired plant growth in a crop of useful plants, which  
comprises allowing a herbicidally effective amount of a composition as defined in ~~according to~~ claim  
1 to act on the crop plant or the area of cultivation thereof.

3. (Currently amended) The ~~A~~ method according to claim 2, wherein the crop plant is a cereal.